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WANTED AT ONCE—A good Cook. Apply on board H. M. S. "ICARUS." je5

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Honourable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, up to noon of Saturday, 15th inst., for the erection of a

COTTAGE RESIDENCE

on the Central School Reserve, Victoria, and for painting the exterior of the Central School Buildings.

Plans and specifications can be seen and forms for tender obtained at the office of the undersigned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. S. GORE, Surveyor-General.
Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B.C., 5th June, 1889. je6-td

NOTICE.

Tenders for Gaol Supplies

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP to the 29th June, 1889, for

SUPPLIES

FOR

VICTORIA PROVINCIAL GAOL

—CONSISTING OF—

Bread, Groceries, Clothing, Coal and Coke, Meats, Fish, and Vegetables,

From 1st July, 1889, to 30th June, 1890.

Samples of groceries and clothing may be seen at Victoria Provincial Gaol, Topaz Avenue.

Tenders to state price of wood per cord, and coal per ton of 2,000 lbs. All supplies to be delivered to the Provincial Gaol, Topaz Avenue.

Oatmeal, Brooms, Brushes, and all articles required for use in this Contract, to be of Provincial manufacture as far as practicable. Tenders addressed to

H. B. ROYCRAFT, Supt. Prov. Police.
Victoria, 5th June, 1889. je6

Notice to Contractors

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Honourable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, up to noon of Thursday, 20th instant, for the erection and completion of a

COUNTY COURT BUILDING AT VANCOUVER.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque for a sum equal to five per cent. of the amount of the tender, made payable to the Honourable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works. In the event of a contract being let, the cheque will be retained as part security for the due performance of the work. The cheque will be returned to unsuccessful competitors, but will be forfeited by any bidder who may decline to execute a contract if called upon to do so.

Plans and specifications can be seen and forms for tender obtained at the office of C. Gardiner Johnson, Esq., Deputy Registrar of the County Court, Vancouver, or at the office of the undersigned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. S. GORE, Surveyor-Gen'l.
Lands and Works Dep't., Victoria, B. C., 5th June, 1889. je6

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TENDERS

ARE INVITED UP TO NOON OF Friday the 7th inst., under Seal, for the construction of FIVE MILES, more or less, of STREET TRAMWAY, in the City of Victoria. Particulars can be learned on application at the office of the Company, between the hours of two and four o'clock daily. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

je2-td H. F. HEISTERMAN, Sec.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

Removal of Thistles!

Owners, or their Agents, of property within the City Limits are hereby notified to remove Thistles which may be growing upon their lots; in default of so doing the Thistle By-Law will be enforced.

By order,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.
City Hall, June 6th, 1889. je7

Re the Estate of H. W. Ternan & Co.
CHILLIWHACK.

TENDERS FOR THE PURCHASE OF Stock, consisting of Groceries, Dry Goods, Hardware, etc., and the book debts, will be received by the Assignees up to and including Monday, 17th June.

Stock list can be seen at the Store in Chilliwhack, or at office of the Ames Holden Co., Victoria.

ALEX. B. GRAY, R. ERSKINE, } Assignees.
je7-10t

NOTICE.
IN LIQUIDATION.
The People's Steam Navigation Co., L'd.

THE undersigned having been duly appointed Liquidator of the above named Company, all persons are notified to pay the amounts in which they are indebted to the Company to him only.

JAMES C. PREVOST.
6th June, 1889. je7

Queen Charlotte Islands Surveys

I purpose leaving Victoria on the 15th June, with a surveying party, for Queen Charlotte Islands. Any person requiring surveys made in that District may find it to their advantage to call upon me at Messrs. Bourchier & Higgins' Real Estate office, before the above date.

T. S. GORE, Dominion Land Surveyor.
je7-1w

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

HIS HONOUR the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to make the following appointment:—

5th June, 1889.

HARRY OSWALD WELLBURN, of Quamichan, Esquire, J. P., to be a Coroner for Vancouver Island, and for the Islands adjacent thereto. je7-1t

MAIL CONTRACT

SEALED TENDERS, ADDRESSED TO the Postmaster-General, will be received at Ottawa until noon on Friday, the 19th July, 1889, for the conveyance of Her Majesty's Mails, on a proposed Contract for four years, twice per week each way, between East Sooke (Mr. Jas. Kiell's) and the intersection of the East Sooke and Victoria Roads, from the 2nd September next.

The conveyance to be made on foot or on horseback, at the option of the Contractor.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Offices of Sooke and Metchosin, at Mr. Jas. Kiell's, and at the Public School House, East Sooke, and at this office.

E. H. FLETCHER, Post Office Inspector.
Post Office Inspector's Office, Victoria, 7th June, 1889. je7-3t

LESSONS IN GERMAN AND PIANO, to beginners, by a Lady Graduate of St. Katrine's College, Berlin. 56 Chatham street. je6-1w

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THE JOHNSTOWN CALAMITY.

The Work of Clearing Up the Wreck Proceeding.

Scenes of Horror From Which Spectators Fled in Dismay.

Counting the Survivors—18,000 Out of a Total of 50,000 Accounted For—From 12,000 to 15,000 Dead.

THE WEATHER REMAINS COOL.

JOHNSTOWN, June 5.—Fifty bodies were taken from the debris in front of the Catholic church this afternoon. About forty of them were women. In the midst of this scene of death and desolation a relenting Providence seems to be exerting a subduing influence. Six days have elapsed since the great disaster and the temperature still remains cool in the Conemaugh valley. When it is remembered that in ordinary June weather in this locality, from two to three days are sufficient to bring an unattended body to a degree of decay and putrification that would render it almost impossible to prevent the spread of disease throughout the valley, the inestimable benefit of this cool weather is almost beyond appreciation.

CLEARING UP THE WRECK.

The work of clearing up the wreck and removing bodies is now being conducted most systematically. Over six hundred men are at work in various portions of the valley, and each gang of twenty men is directed by a foreman who is under orders from general headquarters.

CLASPED IN THEIR MOTHER'S ARMS.

A large frame structure was pulled to pieces this morning. This immense wreck will undoubtedly yield up a large number of dead bodies. The bodies of a woman and three children were taken from the debris in front of the First National Bank this morning. The woman had all her children clasped in her arms. At Johnstown station on the east side of the river, everything is quiet. By one o'clock this morning one hundred persons were fed and about six hundred families were furnished with provisions. Five carloads of clothing were distributed and now almost every one is supplied with clothing.

REGISTERING THE SURVIVORS.

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., June 6.—At the different registration places 18,000 residents of the devastated district have registered as alive and well. The total population of the flooded district was about 50,000. There were hundreds of persons waiting around the offices to have their names placed on the list of saved. It is thought that by to-morrow night at least 85 per cent of the survivors will be registered.

AN ACCUMULATION OF HORRORS.

An eye-witness of the horrible scenes in and about the stone bridge of the railroad during Friday night and Saturday states that nothing in art or literature can half delineate the horrors of that night. After the ruins had taken fire Dore's wonderful imagination would be at fault were he to attempt to depict anything so fearful in its accumulation of horrors as this showed. At all times during the night moans and shrieks of those in the fearful torrent of flames could be heard above the roar of the flames and the booming torrent which thundered by. All through Friday the horrible din kept up, until some of the onlookers fled, unable to bear it longer. Another party, as late as Saturday morning, heard the shrieks of a woman's voice among the ruins, and looking in the direction was horror-stricken to see a woman's white arm and shoulder amid the pile of ruins on which the flames were rapidly approaching. For several moments the arm swept the air, the hand clutching convulsively at space. Then a broad sheet of flames swept down toward it, and the most fearful scream of mortal agony that ever filled the air arose. Then all was silent, and the wave of fire swept on, crackling as if in glee at what it had done. The best estimate on the loss of life, based on the registry of the living and the unofficial poll, puts it at from 12,000 to 15,000. The drift of opinion among intelligent men is that from 1000 to 1200 bodies will never be heard from.

A RIOT QUELLED.

The scarcity of food for the men, owing partly to lack of utensils to cook it with, caused a small-sized riot at the labor camp this morning. It was quelled, however, by a speech from Mr. Flynn, contractor, who afterwards had the two ringleaders expelled from the town. In Cambria City, shortly after midnight last night, some drunken Italians caused trouble, and one company of the 14th Regiment was sent to the scene, but their services were not needed. General Hastings says troops are needed only for guard duty, and denies the report that he ordered the 10th Regiment out.

THE WRECKED TRAIN.

At ten o'clock this morning the men who have charge of the wreckage above the bridge, loosened up the debris by a blast of twenty-five large dynamite cartridges, making it possible to open the mouth of the old channel. The day express which was swept away at Conemaugh, was also located. The ruins of the train lie about one hundred feet from the fourth buttress, from the western end of the stone bridge. It is evident from the traces of some of the passengers which have been found, that more lives were lost from this train than was at first supposed. In Conemaugh village the waters have subsided almost to their usual level. The work of recovering the dead goes on with undiminished vigor.

MORE FUNDS REQUIRED.

PITTSBURG, June 6.—The general relief committee in this city gives out the following to-night: "Hon. W. Flynn, in charge of our laborers at Johnstown, reports that it will require 10,000 men for thirty days, with all modern appliances, to clear the wrecks along the ten miles of destruction, take out corpses and place the city in a safe sanitary condition. This will cost double the amount now in the hands of the committee, which does not include relief for the suffering and destitute, which is very great, all of which has been carefully attended to. The destitute are brought to this city, fed, clothed and housed, or sent free to friends all over the land. We ask that the generous subscriptions which are coming in from all over the country be continued until sufficient funds are provided to complete the above work, of which due notice will be given through the press."

BLOWING UP THE JAM.

This morning the first blast of gunpowder was fired at the bridge. It proved more effective than any of the charges of dynamite heretofore used, and hurled fragments of the debris two hundred feet in the air. Mingled with it was a round fragment, which looked like the trunk of a human body. It fell back into the current with a splash, and glided with the swift current under the bridge, before it could be pulled in with pike poles. Explosion after explosion of dynamite followed the blast of gunpowder, the detonations coming so close together that they might be taken for the continuous discharge of heavy guns. An opening four hundred feet long, which runs back in some places fifty feet, was made during the afternoon.

THE ESTIMATED LOSS.

The estimated destruction of life and property by the Johnstown floods are: 8,963 lives and $33,950,000 in property.

THURSDAY'S BURIALS.

Thirty-two bodies were recovered to-day. Ninety-three bodies are buried in Sandy Vale cemetery, eighty-two of them being "unknown."

A REMARKABLE ESCAPE.

The remarkable report is made that yesterday afternoon a little boy named Eddie Scheffler was taken from the river alive, and after considerable trouble resuscitated and given over in charge of his father. It is thought not improbable that there are some people alive tied up in the houses left standing along the lower part of the island, where laborers have not been able to penetrate as yet. This may seem improbable at a distance of 100 miles or more from the scene of the disaster, but the most skeptical and cynical have been shocked by scenes related by eyewitnesses and the stories told of narrow escapes by survivors.

CLEARING AWAY THE DEBRIS.

Contractor Flynn states that it will take 10,000 men 60 days to clear away the wreck. At this rate it will require $1,500,000 to pay for the work. This does not include other expenses. Five million dollars will not be enough to put Johnstown in shape for building. Early this morning four hoisting engines were started at the east end of the stone bridge, and the work of clearing the debris at that place was begun. Several hundred men are at work on it, and the channel is gradually being cleared.

UNDER MARTIAL LAW.

The officers of the Gautier Steel Company have decided to commence the work of rebuilding the plant at once. At noon to-day the borough of Johnstown and adjoining boroughs, or what is left of them, practically passed under martial law. The sight-seers are debarred altogether, and the town is inaccessible except to newspaper men and other people who have business here.

RUDELY HANDLING THE DEAD.

PITTSBURG, June 6.—A Leader special from Johnstown says: "At the fourth ward morgue there appears to be a lack of system and disregard for the dead, that seems cruel and wanton. The corpses are not gently or reverently handled nor laid in the coffins, but rudely dumped in. They are then placed in the school yard for identification, where the hot sun beats directly down upon them, giving rise to a pestilential smell.

THE RED CROSS.

Clara Barton, president of the Red Cross, is now at Johnstown. The following cable message addressed to her was received to-day from the Grand Duchess of Baden: "Carlsruhe, June 6th, to Miss Clara Barton, Washington. God bless your work in the flooded districts. (Signed) Grand Duchess."

TRAIN LOADS OF SUPPLIES.

John B. Scott, who is in charge of general headquarters, reports that telegrams are pouring in from all parts of the country bearing the cheerful information that whole train loads of supplies are en route for the sufferers.

AMERICAN NEWS.

Summary Justice.

TOPEKA, Kas., June 6.—A man giving the name of Nat. Oliphant and who was suspected of having shot A. L. Rodgers and wife early Tuesday morning, was captured by the police yesterday afternoon and lodged in jail. At 9 o'clock last night the crowd which surrounded the jail forced its way inside to get him, by breaking back the police force and severely injuring Chief of Police Gardner and Officer Bufford. Considerable difficulty was experienced in finding the cell where Oliphant was confined, but after two hours' work and the breaking of several cells the murderer was found and dragged into the streets. He confessed the crime and begged the crowd to hang him in such a manner as to break his neck. He was taken in front of the First National Bank, the most prominent corner in the city, and hanged to a telegraph pole. A crowd of probably ten thousand people, including hundreds of women, witnessed the execution. The electric lights made it bright as day, and the crowd lingered an hour or more gazing at the body. Mr. Rodgers, the victim of the murderous burglar, died at 10 o'clock last night, and Mrs. Rodgers' recovery is very doubtful.

More Floods.

WILLIAMSPORT, Pa., June 6.—Mr. Carter arrived here to-day from the Crescent Nail Works, having walked all the way. He reports that part of the nail works and many of the houses at that place have been swept away. The water was up to the roofs of most of the houses. The population took refuge on the hillsides and on such buildings as were not too much in the water. The people are entirely destitute.

Consternation in Cornwall.

NEW YORK, June 6.—A cable special from London to the Mail and Express says: "Great consternation was caused in the West Cornwall region by the news of the Johnstown disaster, as quite a colony of Cornish people had settled around Johnstown. One man whose sister and six children lives there, and who had himself only recently returned from America, fell dead on suddenly hearing of the catastrophe.

Another Trust.

ST. LOUIS, June 6.—The National White Lead trust succeeded yesterday in purchasing the plant of the Collier White Lead Co. and the Southern White Lead Co., for $4,500,000. This is a great victory for the Standard Oil people, and they get control absolutely of the output of white lead in America.

Fatal Hotel Fire.

STEVENSPOINT, Wis., June 6.—The St. James hotel was burned last night, and Night Clerk Charles Oatball and two of the girls, Maggie Kelly and one known as "Nettie" are missing.

Cotton Mills Burned.

BERLIN, June 6.—The cotton mills in Affenburg, Baden, were destroyed by fire to-day, involving a loss of 300,000 marks, several workmen were killed.

Bavarian Floods.

LONDON, June 6.—Disastrous floods are reported from different parts of Bavaria, with considerable destruction of property. The crops are ruined in many sections.

New York's Relief Fund.

NEW YORK, June 6.—The Mayor's fund for Johnstown has reached $163,000, and the chamber of commerce fund $42,000. Other funds are also increasing rapidly.

SEATTLE IN ASHES!

Every Business Block in the City Destroyed.

Opera House, Banks, Hotels and Docks Burned.

A Rough Estimate Places the Loss at Twenty Million Dollars.

The People Fly to the Hills for Their Lives—The Flames Fanned by High Winds.

Tacoma, Port Townsend and Victoria Send Firemen to Aid in Extinguishing the Fire.

SEATTLE, June 6.—5 p. m.—At 2:30 this afternoon fire broke out on Front street, Seattle, corner of Madison. A fresh wind was blowing and the fire spread very rapidly. By 4 o'clock the fire had burned through on both sides of Front street to Columbia, and was fast going south. The fine Opera House of Frye's caught and was consumed about 4 o'clock. Shortly after, as there was every apparent probability of the fire spreading still further, the three telegraph offices cut out their instruments and vacated their buildings. Before this was done, assistance was telegraphed for to Port Townsend, and at 5 o'clock the Port Townsend fire department left for Seattle. Damages will be tremendous, as the fire is raging in the heart of the business portion of the city amongst the fine brick blocks.

SECOND DISPATCH.

NEW WESTMINSTER, June 6.—8 p. m.—The whole business portion of Seattle has already been destroyed by a fire which started in Frye's opera house, on Front street. The last report states the Arlington Hotel, on the lower end of Commercial street, has been consumed, thus indicating that at least eight blocks, comprising the entire business section of the city, are in utter ruin. Expect particulars later. Telegraphic communication is partially restored over the postal wires.

THIRD DESPATCH.

Midnight—At 2:30 this afternoon fire broke out at the corner of Madison and Front streets, Seattle. A strong northerly wind was blowing, which, as the fire progressed, was quickly increased to a heavy gale. The fire raced down Front street at a terrible rate, licking up the fine business blocks one after another with incredible rapidity. At about 4:30 p.m. the heat was so intense in the telegraph offices that the operators were compelled to cut out their instruments and remove the effects of the offices. All three companies, the Pacific Postal, the Western Union and the Puget Sound, evacuated their premises about the same time. After this, no direct news of the conflagration could be had. At 4 o'clock the fine opera house of Frye's was destroyed. From thence the fire continued its work of destruction down Front and Commercial streets, destroying every business block in the city. The operator at Port Blakely reported that the fire had reached the coal bunkers at the end of Commercial street at about 7:30 p. m. At 7 o'clock the Arlington hotel and Yester's large mills were in flames. Every large hotel, every bank, and in fact every large edifice in the city, are in ruins. The loss is inestimable. Tacoma, Port Townsend and Victoria were telegraphed to for assistance, and in each case the request was promptly answered, and men and fire engines left for Seattle with as little delay as possible.

FOURTH DESPATCH.

1 a. m.—Just before the Puget Sound Telegraph Co. cut out their office, a telegram was sent to Port Townsend asking for aid. At six o'clock a tugboat left Port Townsend with a hose reel and force of firemen. The cause of the fire is at present unobtainable. The Occidental hotel was reported to be on fire about 7:30. The San Francisco house is also burned.

A message was sent by Mr. Cooper, of the O. R. & N. Co., asking orders to send the Potter over, and a reply with the necessary instructions was received in 30 minutes. This is remarkably good time for the lateness of the hour and the general demoralization of telegraphic facilities are considered.

The Canadian Pacific Railway office was destroyed.

FIFTH DESPATCH.

PORT TOWNSEND, June 6.—2 a. m.—The fire started at about 2:30 at the corner of Front and Madison streets, in the same block the Daily Times is in. It swept both sides as far as Columbia street up to 4 p.m., and the last heard from Seattle the flames had just caught on the opposite side of Columbia street. The opera house burned, with several other bricks between Columbia and Madison streets, before 4 p. m. The Blakeley operator reports that he thinks the Yester-Leary and Occidental blocks are both gone, all the bricks on the west side of the street and the wooden buildings on the east side are burned. The fire swept everything as far back as Second street. He thinks Commercial and South Second. This includes the Arlington, New England and Brunswick hotels, all wooden structures. The last heard was that the coal bunkers and Stetson & Post's mill were on fire. That would probably include the ocean and city docks, and several other small hotels and lodging houses in that neighborhood. At 10 p.m. we could see the flames from here quite plain, but now it looks a little dim up that way. They had called on Tacoma for assistance at 4 p.m. On Commercial street all were wooden buildings on either side, except four bricks. Five banks are probably burned. A special boat with the Port Townsend fire company left at 5:50 p.m., with twenty firemen and 500 feet of hose.

At 1:20 a.m. the Port Townsend operator says he thinks the fire is under control, as the light is not so bright as it was, but the weather is so thick that he cannot tell much about it.

2:30 a. m.—Advices from the scene of the conflagration are to the effect that the fire is still burning fiercely, and the wind is rising. The damage already done by the flames is estimated at

TWENTY MILLION DOLLARS.

All the business part of the city has been destroyed, including the docks and the C. P. R. buildings. Efforts to check the progress of the devouring element have been abandoned for a time, and many people have been compelled to fly to the hills in order to save their lives. The loss of life, if any, is not yet known.

SEATTLE'S DISASTER.

The Fire Still Raging at Midnight.

The Work of Re-Building Will Commence To-Day.

Militia and Police Guarding the Piles of Property Hurriedly Placed on the Streets.

(From our own Correspondent).

A TEMPEST OF FLAME.

SEATTLE, June 6.—A tempest of flames has swept away the entire business portion of the city, incurring a loss of millions of dollars, and rendering penniless and homeless hundreds of people. The flames burst from a building on Madison and Front streets, and spread with such appalling rapidity and such resistless fury, that there stands not a large business house in the whole business part of the city. The magnificent Hotel, the San Francisco store, the Union block, the Poncin block, the Yester-Leary building, the Post-Intelligencer building, and indeed the whole line of business buildings bounded by Second street on the north and the water front on the south and east has been laid waste by the furious element. At this writing, 8 p. m., the flames are raging with unabated fury, and there is no guessing where it will all end. The flames have passed down Front street to

THE OCCIDENTAL HOTEL,

devastating the blocks on both sides of the street, and are now destroying all that lower portion of the city tributary to Commercial street. A detailed sketch of the disaster cannot at this time be given. A record of the losses would include every business man of prominence in town. It is one frightful calamity from which few have escaped, and from which those few remaining may not dare hope to escape. Of course, tremendous efforts are made by the fire department, illy supplied with apparatus, to stay the progress of the flames. Of course all the citizens made common cause with the firemen in a hopeless fight and struggle with might and main for the salvation of the city. There were many others, too, whose first thought was to save their individual possessions, and the streets were soon crowded and many places blocked with teams loaded with valuables of every description, seeking places of

SAFETY ON THE HILLS.

Hundreds of men were at work disgorging the many business buildings of their contents and loading them into wagons, in many instances procured at enormous price's and sending them through the choked thoroughfares. No adequate description can be made of a scene in which everybody was excited, and many frenzied. The burnt region now covers blocks, how many cannot be told. The fire has divided itself into four districts, that along the wharves, along Front street and up Mill street on to Yester avenue. The blocks are now burning, but the flames are raging at their fiercest in many wooden buildings on the lower side of Yester avenue. Front street is now

A SCENE OF RUIN.

At the present time, 8:30 p.m., the fire is near Stetson & Post's Oregon Improvement Mills, and there is little doubt but they will go. The railroad offices, all the docks on the water front, the wharves, and everything is gone as far up as Almond & Phillips' foundry. There is a grand chance now that this foundry will be saved, and that the fire will not go up further. The burnt district, as near as can be stated, is bounded by Union street on the north; by Second street, as far as James on the east, and then below James. The fire is now at South Third street and down to the water's edge. There are no serious casualties that are definitely known, but it is reported that several men were burned to death. There were a number of minor accidents. The loss, at a guess, is $10,000,000.

STILL BLAZING AT MIDNIGHT.

At midnight the whole lower part of the town is still blazing. The streets are full of people and the militia and special police are guarding the piles of household goods that are everywhere piled up beyond the limits of the fire. Thieves are busy plying their vocation. The Post-Intelligencer to-morrow will be issued in tiny form, its whole office having been destroyed. The work of clearing away the debris, preparatory to rebuilding, will begin to-morrow. The Postal Telegraph Company's offices were burned, and the instruments were moved to the Moore-land Company's real estate building, and opened for business within thirty minutes after being "fired out" of their old quarters.

The New York Sun says that M. A. Swanbrown, a merchant well-known in the dry goods trade, has gone to London to attempt to arrange a syndicate for the purchase of the leading dry goods stores of New York, and other American cities.

CABLE NEWS.

The St. James Gazette on the Behring's Sea Question.

Lord Arlington's "Kingscolt" Wins the Epsom Grand Prize.

Lady Churchill's Attack on the Germans—A German Appeal for Help for the Flood Sufferers.

Trying to Crush Switzerland.

LONDON, June 6.—News comes from Berne that considerable friction has developed between the German and Swiss governments over the recent expulsion from Swiss territory of the German police official Herr Wohlgemuth. The German authorities at Berlin are never at their ease if there is a single German socialist in Europe without a policeman to shadow him, and to look after the colony of exiles in Switzerland. The government officials at Berlin not long since sent Wohlgemuth into the country, and this gentleman growing restless because his intended victims would not promptly make a move which would entitle him to pounce upon them, bribed a Swiss socialist to go among them to stir them up. This man, however, instead of leading his German brethren into the trap so neatly set for them, disclosed the whole proceedings to his government, whereupon Wohlgemuth was promptly imprisoned. German official influence secured his release, but he was given 24 hours to shake the dust of Switzerland from his feet. This, it was thought at the time, would more than satisfy the German government, but in this the Swiss made a mistake. Bismarck now demands that the decree of expulsion be rescinded, claiming that the Swiss had failed to observe to Germany the usual diplomatic courtesy. The whole proceedings excites considerable indignation. Diplomats here who are acquainted with the facts say that Germany is playing the part of a big bully towards her weaker neighbor. This is not the only case which Switzerland has on her hands. A Russian spy was recently expelled under precisely similar circumstances and Russia is now also raising a hubbub about it. The picture of Germany and Russia uniting their forces to crush poor little Switzerland would be an instructive one to the enthusiastic admirers of monarchal chivalry.

Americans at the Derby.

LONDON, June 6.—The number of Americans who attended the Derby was larger than was ever known before—so large was the proportion of Americans in the crowds who drove to the course, that many remarked it was like having a section of Jerome Park or Monmouth dumped into England. Although the weather was fine and nothing was wanting to ensure an excellent day's sport, there was absolutely no excitement and less betting than has been known on Derby day for years. This was due very largely to the prevailing belief which has amounted almost to a certainty for some time that "Donovan" must win. The event showed the correctness of popular judgment.

The Epsom Races.

LONDON, June 6.—The race for the Epsom grand prize of 1000 sovereigns for winners, and 200 sovereigns for nominator of the winner, added to sweepstakes of 25 sovereigns each, for three-year-olds, was run to-day. The race was won by Lord Arlington's bay colt "Kingscolt," by "Childeric," out of "Petticoat." The Duke of Portland's bay colt "Nelinion," by "Hermit," out of "Atlanta," was second; and Mr. J. H. Wright's brown colt "Indian Prince," by "Thuringian Prince," out of "Mrs. Shilton," third. The owner of the second horse received 100 sovereigns out of the stakes. There were 105 subscribers, 53 of whom declared a forfeit. The distance was about a mile and a quarter.

The Behring's Sea Controversy.

LONDON, June 6.—The St. James Gazette to-day prints a leading editorial on the subject of the Behring's Sea controversy, which it heads "Diplomatic Draw-Poker." The article declares that the key to Blaine's preposterous claims in Behring's Sea is his belief that a first-class controversy with England is necessary to mark him as a diplomat of the foremost rank. Blaine knows that a bit of a bluff will sometimes prevent a call from any but the strongest hands. The articles concludes that the United States government has set up a facetious claim in Behring's Sea solely with a view to offset the Canadian claims in the fishery disputes.

Lady Churchill's Attack Upon the Germans.

LONDON, June 6.—The Koelnische Zeitung comments very severely upon Lady Randolph Churchill's recent criticisms upon Germans in an English magazine. This paper says: Lady Churchill evidently desired to revenge herself on the whole German nation for the slight Prince Bismarck put upon her in failing to invite her to meet him on the occasion of her recent visit to Berlin. The article concludes: "It ought to be remembered that Lady Churchill is an American of French descent."

CAPITAL NOTES.

The Weldon Extradition Treaty in Canada.

Mails Sent by the Short Line to the Maritime Provinces—The Work of Revising the Voters' Lists.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, June 6.—The government will send a dispatch to England transmitting the Weldon extradition act of last session. It points out that a royal commission three years ago recommended that extradition treaties should not be held to be indispensible, but that statute power should be given the proper authorities to deliver up fugitives and criminals whose surrender is asked for irrespective of the existence of any extradition treaty, and the Weldon Act simply carried out this recommendation. The vicious influence upon the Canadian population of American criminal fugitives is referred to, and the dispatch holds that Canada has a perfect right to legislate on matters pertaining to the peace and good government of the country. If the Act is allowed, it is proposed to apply it to the States and Mexico.

A number of the revising officers have sent unrevised voters' lists for 1888 to the queen's printer. These lists have been printed, causing great confusion now that the revision is on.

Mails have sent over the short line, gaining a day in transmission, to the maritime provinces.

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MR. WILSON'S LETTER.

It is not a little remarkable that Mr. Wilson should have only just now discovered that the exchange proposed by Mr. Semlin and agreed to in a modified form by the whole Legislative Assembly, was opposed to the true interests of the province. That gentleman's proposition was made two years ago. It was acted upon by the Government and apparently approved by the whole province. But during all that time Mr. Wilson was silent. It is only now that he has become alive to the fact that the Assembly and the Government had done what they ought not to have done. He lays great stress upon the fact that the proposal was Mr. Semlin's, who is a member of the Opposition. He has forgotten that Mr. Semlin's resolution was amended by Mr. Theodore Davie, that Mr. Davie's amendment was carried, and that it was the resolution as amended by Mr. Davie, that constituted the authority of the Government to negotiate for an exchange of land. The Government's policy in this matter then was dictated by all the representatives of the people and received the tacit approval of the inhabitants of the whole province, Mr. W. Wilson included. It was, we think, hardly worth Mr. Wilson's while at this time of day to occupy so much space in condemning what he had acquiesced in for two long years. Mr. Wilson's friend Mr. Higgins, without intending it, no doubt, made the position of the Government with regard to the proposed exchange of land stronger than it would otherwise have been. After the news of the Privy Council's decision had been received that gentleman from his place in the Assembly protested against the Government's carrying out its exchange policy. The Provincial secretary in reply cited the authority of the Legislature strengthened by a motion of the Opposition condemning the Government for not using greater diligence in effecting the exchange. We desire again to direct the attention of our correspondent and our readers to the fact that not one single member of the House joined Mr. Higgins in protesting against the exchange under the altered circumstances. They had ample opportunity to do so but they did not. In the face of these facts how can Mr. Wilson or any one else who has a proper respect for the authority of Parliament counsel the Government to disregard the positive directions they have received from the representatives of the people?

Mr. Wilson, without giving a single reason for the opinion he holds, declares that to exchange the lands of the railway belt for a block of land in the Peace River country, would prevent the construction of a second transcontinental railway. Now we wish it to be understood that we are as desirous to see a second transcontinental railway built as Mr. Wilson can possibly be, and are most willing to do all that lies in our power to advance such a project. The province has done all nearly all that it was asked to do when it granted a charter to the Canadian Western and gave it as a land subsidy the alternate sections of a belt sixty-four miles wide along its whole length. An examination of the map will show that the tract proposed to be exchanged for the railway belt can not interfere in the slightest degree with the projected road or with the road from the east that may join it. The eastern terminus of the Canadian Western will be considerably to the east of the British Columbian part of the Peace River valley and more than 180 miles south of it. Tete Jaune Pass is in latitude 53 and the Peace River where it flows through British Columbia is as near as may be in the 50th parallel of latitude. A transcontinental road joining the Canadian Western will not come within at least 200 miles of the Peace River country. Our readers will see from this that it will matter very little to the builders of the projected road who owns a comparatively small tract in the north east corner of this province.

It is somewhat singular that our correspondents avoid an examination into the actual value of the Peace River part of British Columbia to the province. What are they afraid of? Do they see that if they enter into an enquiry as to the worth of that territory, provided it is as good as they assert—which we do not for a moment admit—it will be found to be by no means a valuable possession. Before the country can be settled it will have to be surveyed, and colonization roads must be made in it and bridges built. All this takes money, and, considering the income and the resources of the province, a very great deal of money. This money will all have to come out of the taxes paid by the inhabitants of the western part of the province. And those taxes are not yet sufficient for their own requirements. On the other side of the account will be the money received for the lands. How much will that be? The local government will, in order to encourage settlement, have to give a very large proportion of the land away. This is what the Dominion Government is doing, and they will be compelled to adopt the same policy. It is not hard to calculate the price of ten millions of acres of land at nothing an acre. Nought and nought do not, unfortunately, make one in the Government Land Office. The Provincial Government will be very lucky indeed if the money they get for the land that can be sold for a price will recoup them for the expenditure. It is safe, then, to conclude that all that the Government will ever get, over and above expenses, for the Peace River country will be represented by a 0. And if they get it settled even on those terms they may think themselves very lucky. Now, let the railway belt be as bad and as worthless as our correspondents are at such pains to represent it to be, which we are very far indeed from admitting, it can hardly be worth less than nothing. Therefore if our correspondents will leave off theorising and prophesying and come down to hard facts and to what we know to be certainties, they will find that the province can lose nothing by the proposed exchange, while it may gain a great deal.

The reader who reflects must see that the decision of the Privy Council has increased rather than diminished the difficulties of the double ownership of the railway belt. The Dominion owns the land with all that this implies, as well as the minerals and base metals. The province owns the precious metals. It does not require a very lively imagination to realise what a heavy crop of disputes and annoyances this state of things must produce. Mr. Wilson knows how tenacious the Dominion is of its rights. Everything that the province gets it must fight for: it contests and stubbornly contests, every inch of ground. The idea that Mr. Dewdney, even if he were inclined to undertake the task, can change the nature of the Dominion administration is simply absurd. Experience has shown that ministers may come and ministers may go but the Dominion goes on for ever unchanged. Mr. Mara has shown that the state of things that now exists has been most injurious to the mining interests of the province, and no one has ventured to question the truth of his statements. If then our correspondents wish to drive capital out of the country and desire to retard the development of its mining industry they will continue to oppose the exchange of land. The evils they profess to dread are conjured up by their own lively imaginations while the continuance of the present state of things will be certain to do the province serious injury.

Mr. Wilson drags the "C. P. R." into the discussion. He has not the slightest grounds for doing this. The Canadian Pacific has nothing to do directly or indirectly with the proposed exchange. He advances a suspicion as if it were a fact. There is, of course, no arguing against a suspicion. It is an airy nothing, but sad to say, intangible as it is, it is often the cause of injustice and folly and all kinds of mischief. If our correspondent believes that the C. P. R. is in any way mixed up with this land exchange proposal let him produce the evidence on which he grounds his belief.

PRESIDENT HARRISON.

The position of the President of the United States is at present far from being a pleasant one. He is beset by office-seekers. These office-seekers are not applying for offices that are vacant, but they demand that vacancies be made for them. To the victors belong the spoils is their motto. And they are determined that pressure will be applied to the President to carry it out to the letter. The President at first exhibited some reluctance to turn honest and faithful men out of office in order to replace them by untried men of his own party. But the office-seekers and their friends were persistent and powerful, and soon the President's scruples, if he ever had any, disappeared. "Turn the rascals out," was the word and the rascals, merely because they were Democrats, are being turned out by the thousand. It is said that postmasters alone have for the past two months been turned out and shoved in at the rate of a thousand a week. John Wanamaker appears determined to make a clean sweep, and he has found means to gain the approval of the President. Mr. Harrison has not been forgetful of his own and his wife's relations in this office-grabbing business. Many of them have been provided for at the public expense. The Republican Party since the President has proved pliable wink at this nepotism. They seem to think that if there is to be a scramble the President's folks should have their share as well as the rest. There are people who look at this unseemly rush for office with pain. They consider it injurious to the public service and demoralizing for the people. They were in hopes that civil service reform which had been attempted, and in part carried out, in Cleveland's time, would be continued under Mr. Harrison's administration. But they have been disappointed and they are giving vigorous expression to their feelings and convictions. With a class of high-minded and influential men in the States the verdict seems to be, "President Harrison has been weighed in the balance and found wanting." The impression he is making on the minds of men of the better class is not by any means a favorable one. It may be, however, that when this office-seeking ordeal is passed, the President will address himself to the performance of the more important duties of his office and will acquit himself in such a way as to regain the place in the esteem of these men which it is pretty clear he has already lost. The office-seekers and their backers are not by any means a high-minded lot. When Mr. Harrison emerges from the sphere of their influence it is expected that he will be surrounded by another and in every way better class of men. He will then have a chance to show the best that is in him.

EDITORIAL COMMENTS.

MR. EDWARD MURPHY, who has been appointed to fill the seat in the Senate made vacant by the death of the late Mr. Ryan, is a most worthy man. There is, we undertake to say, no man in Montreal more generally respected. He is one of the self-made men, and while he has all the virtues of his class, he has few or none of their foibles and their failings. He is one of nature's gentlemen. Though full of energy there does not appear to be a coarse fibre in his composition. He is courteous and kindly and is prominent in every good work. His virtues have made him popular with all denominations and his appointment to the Senate meets with the hearty and the general approval of the community in which he lives without distinction of creed or party.

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PURSUANT TO AN ACT PASSED AT the last session of the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, entitled "An Act to authorize and facilitate the sale of the site of the Royal Hospital, with the buildings thereon," the Directors of the Royal Hospital invite sealed tenders for the purchase of so much of the lots known and numbered on the official map of Spring Ridge as Sections 24, 25, 26 and 27 Spring Ridge, in the City of Victoria, as is authorized by the said Act to be sold, being the present site of the Royal Hospital, with all improvements thereon, and containing five acres, more or less.

Tenders must be accompanied by a certified bank cheque for one thousand dollars; the balance of purchase money which shall be payable as may be agreed on, shall bear interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, and shall be secured in a manner satisfactory to the Directors.

For plan of property and further particulars apply to J. Stuart Yates, Hon. Sec'y, to whom the tenders marked "Hospital Site Tender," must be addressed and sent in on or before 12 o'clock noon on the 21st day of June, 1889.

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NOTICES.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Re ELWYN, Deceased.

PURSUANT TO A DECREE OF THE Supreme Court of British Columbia, made in the matter of the Estate of Thomas Elwyn, deceased, and in a cause of W. & J. Wilson and C. E. Redfern, on behalf of themselves and all other the creditors of the said Thomas Elwyn against Hamilton Moffatt. The creditors of the said Thomas Elwyn, late of the City of Victoria, who died on or about the 11th day of September, A. D. 1888, are, on or before the eleventh day of July, 1889, to come in and prove their claims at the office of the Registrar of the said Court, in the Court House, Bastion square, Victoria, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said decree. Thursday, the 18th day of July, 1889, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon at the said office, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.

Dated this 4th day of April, A. D. 1889.

JAMES C. PREVOST, ap6-3m-dw Registrar.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Selkirk Mining and Smelting Company (Limited) have filed with me, under the provisions of the Mineral Acts, an application for a Crown grant of the "Lanark" mineral claim in the Illecillewaet camp in West Kootenay District. Adverse claimants, if any, are required to send in their objections within sixty days from the date hereof.

G. M. SPROAT, Farwell, 7th May, 1889. G. C., &c. my9-dw

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT Wah Lee, of Quesnelle, B. C., Merchants, have made an assignment, dated the 4th April, 1889, for the benefit of their creditors, to Dong Tai, of Victoria, B. C., Trader, and all persons claiming to be creditors of their estate are requested to send full particulars of their claims to the undersigned on or before Monday the 20th day of May, 1889, when the trustee will proceed to distribute the moneys in his hands ratably among those creditors only who may then have proved their claims; and all persons indebted to the said estate are requested forthwith to pay the amount of their indebtedness to the said Dong Tai, or the undersigned.

Dased the 16th day of April, 1889. EBERTS & TAYLOR, Langley street, Victoria, B. C., ap17 Solicitors for the said Dong Tai.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT Ewen Bell, of Clinton, B.C., merchant, has made an assignment dated April 18th, 1889, for the benefit of his creditors, to Thomas Earle, merchant, and A. A. Green, banker, both of Victoria, B.C., and all persons claiming to be creditors of his estate are requested to send full particulars of their claims to the said Thomas Earle on or before Saturday, the 1st day of June, 1889; and all persons indebted to the said estate are requested forthwith to pay the amount of their indebtedness to the said Trustees.

EBERTS & TAYLOR, Solicitors for the Trustees. April 24th, 1889. ap25

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT thirty days after date I intend making application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to cut and carry away timber from a tract of land situated on Havannah Channel; commencing at Hugh G. Ashby's stake on White Beach Point; thence west 10 chains; south 140; east 30; north 10; containing 1000 acres more or less.

S. D. ANDERSON. Chemainus, April 30, 1889. ap30

LORENZO LERTORA, Deceased.

ALL PERSONS HAVING ANY CLAIMS against the estate of Lorenzo Lertora, formerly of the Fountain, near Lillooet, deceased, are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims to Gillio Piaggio of Happy Valley, Metchosin District, or to Nicola Bonini of the Fountain, Lillooet, the executors of the will of the said deceased, on or before the 1st day of July next. Dated 30th April, 1889.

my1-1mo GILLIO PIAGGIO.

NOTICE is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend making application to the Honorable, the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to cut and carry away timber from a tract of land situated on Valdez Island, described as follows: Commencing at a post planted in a bay one mile north of Bow Point; thence north 40 chains; thence west 60; thence north 60; thence east 100; thence south 120; thence west 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 1,000 acres, more or less.

JOSEPH LITTLE. Nanaimo, April 19th, 1889.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT 30 days after date we intend making application to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works for a lease, for timbering purposes, of the undermentioned tracts of land, situate in Sayward District, and described as follows:—Block No. 1. Commencing at a post on the shore of Discovery Passage, about two miles below Seymour Narrows, said point being the north-west corner of Lot 12, Sayward District; thence east 30 chains; thence north 120 chains; thence west 120 chains, more or less, to Discovery Passage; thence following the shore line of Discovery Passage, in a south-westerly direction, to the point of commencement; and containing 1,000 acres, more or less. Block No. 2. Commencing at a post on the west shore of Discovery Passage, about two miles above Seymour Narrows, thence west 100 chains; thence north 100 chains; thence east 100 chains; more or less, to the shore of Discovery Passage; then following the shore line in a southerly direction to the place of commencement; and containing 1,000 acres, more or less. Block No. 3. Commencing at the north-east corner of Messrs. Haslam & Lees lease (Lot 46) at Salmon River Valley, thence east 270 chains; thence south 640 chains; thence west 240 chains; thence north 225 chains to the south-east corner of said lease; thence along the eastern boundary of the lease 305 chains; thence west 30 chains; thence north 110 chains to the place of commencement, containing 15,690 acres, more or less.

VICTORIA LUMBER & MF'G. CO. W. J. MACAULAY, Director. May 4th, 1889. my7-1m

In the Matter of THE PEOPLE'S STEAM NAVIGATION CO., Limited Liability, AND In the Matter of THE WINDING UP ACT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT an order to wind up the business of the said Company was, on the 6th day of May instant, made by the Hon. Mr. Justice Crease, and Mr. John Herbert Turner has been appointed provisional liquidator of the estate and effects of the Company.

DAVIE & POOLEY, Solicitors for the Petitioner. Dated Victoria, 10th May, 1889.

In the Matter of THE PEOPLE'S STEAM NAVIGATION CO., Limited Liability, AND In the Matter of THE WINDING UP ACT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE creditors, contributories, shareholders or members of the said Company, that an application will be made to a Judge of the Supreme Court at the Supreme Court House, Bastion Square, Victoria, on Wednesday, the 22nd day of May instant, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the appointment of Mr. John Herbert Turner as the sole liquidator of the estate and effects of the said Company.

DAVIE & POOLEY, Solicitors for the Petitioner. Dated Victoria, 10th May, 1889. my11-1w

NOTICE.—I hereby give notice that I intend to apply at the next sitting of the Licensing Court, for a license to sell wines, spirits, beer, porter, or other fermented liquors, by retail, in the premises occupied by me as a restaurant and lodging house, and leased by me, situated in Lot 159*a*, being the third store from the south-west corner of Johnson and Broad streets, and more particularly designated as No. 81 Johnson street. Dated, Victoria, the 3rd day of May, A.D. 1889.—W. G. SUM. 1m

In the Estate of Mrs. S. E. R. Francis, dec'sed

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE above named Estate are hereby required to pay the amount of such indebtedness forthwith to the undersigned; and all persons having claims against the said Estate are also required to send in particulars of their claims to the undersigned on or before noon on Saturday the 29th day of June, 1889. Dated the 26th day of May, 1889.

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H. W. TERNAN & CO. Assignment for the Benefit of Creditors.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTE 44 Victoria, chapter 12, entitled "An Act to further amend the law of Property and to relieve Trustees," and the Statute 50 Victoria, chapter 2, entitled "An Act respecting Executors, Trustees and Assignees, for the benefit of Creditors."

Notice is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claim or demands upon or against the estate of James Byron Silverthorn and Henry Whitfield Ternan, trading as Ternan and Company, general merchants, at Chilliwhack, New Westminster District, B.C., are hereby required to send particulars thereof in writing to the undersigned on or before the 19th day of July, A. D. 1889, after which day the Trustees will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims and demands of which they then shall have had notice, and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof distributed to any person or persons of whose debts, claims and demands they shall not then have had notice.

Dated this 18th day of May, A. D. 1889.

EBERTS & TAYLOR, Solicitors for the Trustees, A. B. GRAY and ROBERT ERSKINE, my19 both of Victoria, B. C.

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL SELL HIS valuable Stock and Dairy Farm, 220 acres. JAMES HABART. Chemainus, May 12th, 1889. my12-3m

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BYRON AT VENICE.

Interesting Reminiscences of the Author of Don Juan and Tom Moore.

The scene is Venice, the time the forenoon of an early autumn day in 1817, and the light sea-fog which has drifted in from the lagoons lies gently on the oily swirls of the canals, and throws a golden vail over the carven fronts of the marble palaces, which line the sides of the Grand canal. Under the influence of the mist, permeated by the rays of the morning sun, which had risen in a cloudless sky, Venice seemed like to that fabled golden city of the incas, the lode star which drew many a brave gentleman to ultimate death and destruction. Carelessly reclining on a pile of cushions in a large, well-appointed gondola, which was gliding quickly down the Grand canal, was a young man of singular appearance.

Sitting opposite to him, writes Horace Townsend in Once a Week, was a plump, dapper little man, commonplace in feature, but dressed in the height of the prevalent fashion. He sat stiffly in his seat, occasionally glancing at his companion as though longing for him to speak, and yet not daring himself to begin the conversation.

At length, when the gondola had left the canal, and was cleaving the blue waters of the lagoon in its path toward the Lido, a low, long island which, the sun having by this time dispersed the morning mist, was visible at no great distance.

Mr. Moore, for this was his name, could not longer restrain himself and burst into a rhapsody over the beauty of the scene. His efforts to arouse his companion were not wildly successful, Lord Byron—for he it was whom the minor poet addressed—merely turning over with an ungracious movement and snarling out: "Don't be a fool, Tommy. Keep your poetry for women's albums, and talk common sense, if you can."

So far from offending the little man, this snub had the effect Lord Byron desired, and during the remainder of the voyage across the lagoon Mr. Moore chatted away to his noble companion, displaying not a little shrewdness and wit in his chatter, which dealt principally with the current London scandals of the day.

When the Lido was reached and the two men had landed they found awaiting them on the strip of sandy beach a couple of thoroughbred Arabian horses, in charge of an Italian groom.

It was in fact for his daily ride that Byron visited this spot, for here he kept his small but well-selected stable of saddle-horses.

For the first time that day, when he caught sight of the beautiful animals snuffing in the sea-breezes through their delicate nostrils, his face softened, and he caressed their velvety muzzles with all the tenderness of a lover smoothing his mistress' hair.

"Aren't they beauties, Tommy?" he said. "They have the endurance of steel, and the speed of thought in their limbs. Which, by the way," he added, laughing, "would make a good line in a poem, would it not?"

Soon the two friends were mounted and galloping along the hard sands, Byron a trifle ahead of Moore, who seemed to have not a little difficulty in the management of his steed. Suddenly Byron heard a cry of alarm, and the next instant the little Irishman's horse shot past, with the rider clinging for dear life to his neck. The horse had taken the bit in his teeth and had fairly run away. The sight seemed to tickle Byron immensely, and he fell into a fit of laughter so immoderate that he with difficulty kept control of his own steed. Finally he gave chase to his friend, who was now a mere speck in the distance, and in the course of twenty minutes' hard ride had come abreast of him. The runaway was soon secured, for he recognized his master's voice, but poor little Moore was almost dead from fright and the violent shaking he had undergone

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Some hours later Byron and Moore were sitting in a large room in the Palazzo Mocenigo, while on the table before them lay the remains of a frugal meal.

"A few grapes and a little claret and water are all I care for," Byron had said, when they returned from their trip to the Lido, somewhat to the disgust of Moore, who, still sore from his jolting, was yet not a little hungry, and who would have preferred something more substantial.

"Now, Tom," said Byron, when the Barmecide feast was over, "I am going to leave you to your own devices. I have an idea and can not rest until I have it on paper," and he left the room.

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It was midnight, and in an upper room of the Palazzo Byron sat before a table almost covered with sheets of paper, scrawled over in a hand which it would have puzzled an Egyptian hieroglyphist to decipher. By his side was a tall Venetian glass half filled with a drink which a plebeian nostril would have diagnosed as humble gin-and-water, and as he rapidly wrote the poet solaced himself with sips of this beverage. At length the task was completed, the scratching sound of the pen ceased, the scattered sheets were hastily shuffled together, and holding them in his hand, Lord Byron hastened with a scarcely perceptible limp out of the room and down the broad marble staircase to the room in which he left his little friend. He found Moore sitting before a desk, an open book, evidently a diary, into which he had been transcribing the notes of the day, before him, and he himself fast asleep.

"Wake up, Tommy," cried Byron, in an excited manner. "Wake up. I want to read something to you," and as the little man yawned and rubbed his eyelids sleepily the poet continued: "Your mishap this morning suggested a subject to me and here it is," and began to read from the manuscript, which was headed "Mazeppa," but before he had finished a strange sound caused him to look up. Mr. Moore was fast asleep again, and with a peevish curse Byron left him there and made his way to his own room, there to lie awake till morning.

FEMALE SNUFF-DIPPERS.

Southern Women Who Use Tobacco in a Peculiar Manner.

A popular vice among the ladies of this part of the State is the use of tobacco, writes an Ozark (Ark.) correspondent of the Omaha Bee. Some will chew it like veterans, while others are content to smoke. But by far the most common way of deriving enjoyment from its use is to take it in the form of snuff. When a number of women get together the snuff-box is nearly always produced, with the instruction to "take a dip" as it goes around the circle. Then they will sit and gossip, interrupting the flow of conversation with frequent expectorations into a big spittoon or the fireplace. A snuff-dipper's outfit consists of a small tin canister, about an inch thick by two inches long, and a wooden brush. The latter is about three inches in length, and in size resembles a slate pencil. It is usually cut from black gum or some other tough wood. One end is chewed and splintered by the teeth, till it looks like a small paint-brush. The splintered end is dipped into the snuff and worked around till a little ball has been collected. The snuff thus secured is rubbed over the teeth and gums. Usually the stick is held between the teeth till the snuff has all been absorbed, when another dip is taken. For ladies who object to using a canister and brush a small snuff-wafer has been invented which can be concealed between the lips and teeth. A grocer's clerk asserted emphatically that fully ninety per cent. of the women used either tobacco or snuff, or both. By thinking men the tobacco habit among women is considered one of the worst evils with which Arkansas is obliged to contend.

How the Sexton Figured It.

Two ladies entered a fashionable church in New York just before the services began, and one of them remarked to the sexton that the star on the pulpit, in which were a great many gas jets, had the point turned the wrong way, and that it should point up instead of down. The dignified old man, feeling that his quarter of a century's experience should entitle his opinion to respect, and realizing the difficulty of making a change, straightened up and said: "Ladies, we are told in the Scriptures that the star hung over the manger to load the wise men thither. If it was to guide them to the sacred spot and direct them to the manger, of course it would point down and not up." The star remains as it was.

NEWS AND NOTES.

MAKING A DIAMOND KING.

Less than ten years ago a young man named Cecil Rhodes went to South Africa to seek his fortune. He had speculative talent and a few hundred dollars in his pocket, and after studying the Cape railroads and the Kimberley diamond mines he began to buy and sell railroad stocks, mining shares, and anything else in which he thought there was money to be made. His enterprises grew with the growth of his capital, and three or four years ago he began to be known as a very rising man of affairs. He is now called the Diamond King, is a millionaire, and almost every week his name is seen in the English newspapers as that of a prominent factor in South African matters. One of his latest specialties is to secure gold mining concessions on very cheap terms from independent native chiefs, and as everything he has touched has turned to money he is likely to make a few thousand per cent. on these investments. This young man is only about 30 years old, and his career seems to show that a man with a large money-making faculty is bound to thrive almost anywhere.—N. Y. Sun.

ABOLISHED.

Mrs. Harrison has substituted a courtesy for the interminable handshaking at presidential receptions. The Boston Traveller says: "The universal acclaim with which this social revolution at the White House has met proves its value to society. The handshake, outside intimate friends, is obtrusive, wearisome and unnecessary, and its abolition at the public ceremonies in the presidential mansion is the first veto of the administration. It is sustained by the country."

A VIGOROUS OLD MAN.

The Rev. Dr. H. R. Macartney, Anglican Dean of Melbourne, has just celebrated his ninetieth birthday anniversary. He is one of the best known and, notwithstanding his great age, one of the most vivacious walkers and speakers in Melbourne. He rarely uses glasses, and still more rarely resorts to notes as aids to memory when speaking. He possesses wonderful vitality in his small, spare frame, crowned with the snows of time; and it is quite an every day spectacle to see him walking down Collins street, Melbourne, as briskly as any of the young bank clerks or civil servants who love to show their paces in the Melbourne Piccadilly.—N. Y. Tribune.

BLAINE'S DAUGHTER.

Miss Margaret Blaine is fast earning the reputation of being one of the wittiest women in Washington. She is clever and sarcastic, but uses her powers with rare judgment and good nature. Her voice is particularly pleasing, and it is said that she has a naive way of saying "Don't you know?" that is the envy of all the other Washington belles. She acquired it in England during her visit last year, and uses it frequently in her speech.

ITALIAN BUDGET.

The Italian budget shows the enormous deficit of 50,000,000 francs, and at the same time reports come of widespread distress among the working classes everywhere. In every town of importance the municipality has had to provide for hundreds and thousands in order to avoid riots or wholesale deaths from starvation. In Rome no less than 175,000 francs has been expended for the relief of the suffering, while in many smaller places a much larger amount proportionately has been needed. Much, if not all of this suffering is claimed to have been caused by the heading off of negotiations for the renewal of the commercial treaty with France.

THE BEST MOTIVE POWER.

An eastern paper has been making some extended inquiries regarding the displacement of horses on street railways in cities, and finds that there is a general movement looking to the abandonment of animal motive power and the substitution thereof of the cable and electric motor system. From the information obtained the belief is expressed that in the course of the next five years horses will be entirely superseded in all the large cities. There is some doubt about the relative popularity of the cable and the electric systems, but it is highly probable that the latter will be the favorite means of locomotion in the Eastern States.

Many Thanks.

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NOTICES.

High School Entrance Examination.

THE SEMI-ANNUAL EXAMINATION of applicants for entrance to a High School, will commence in Central School Building, Friday, May 31st, at 9 a. m.

Candidates must be punctual.

S. D. POPE, my28 Superintendent of Education.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, 8th May, 1889.

WHEREAS the Lieutenant Governor in Council is empowered, under the "Public School Act," to create School Districts, in addition to those already existing, and to define the boundaries thereof, and from time to time to alter the boundaries of existing Districts; it is hereby notified that His Honour has been pleased to create the following tract of land to be a School District, under the title of the "Essington School District," viz.:—

All that tract of land embraced within the circumference of a circle whose centre shall be the centre of the plot of land on which the Post Office Building now stands, and whose radius shall be a distance of three miles from such centre.

By Command,

JOHN ROBSON, my28-1w Provincial Secretary.

NOTICE

Is hereby given that all communications have reference to matters affecting the Department of Indian Affairs, should be addressed to the Honorable E. Dewdney as Superintendent General of Indian Affairs, and not as Minister of the Interior, or to the undersigned. All Officers of the Department should address their official letters to the undersigned.

L. VANKOUGHNET, Deputy Superintendent General of Indian Affairs.

Department of Indian Affairs, Ottawa, 11th May, 1889. my23-f30

TABLE

Showing the Dates and Places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, and Oyer and Terminer, for the Year 1889.

SPRING ASSIZES.

[*On Vancouver Island.*]

Victoria.....Monday ....20th May.
Nanaimo.....Tuesday ....4th June.

[*On Mainland.*]

New Westminster..Wednesday.1st May.
Kamloops..... .....Monday ... 3rd June.
Clinton .....Monday....10th June.

FALL ASSIZES.

[*On Mainland.*]

Richfield .....Monday ...9th Sept.
Clinton .....Wednesday.25th Sept.
Kamloops.....Monday ....7th Oct.
Lytton .....Monday ....14th Oct.
New Westminster..Wednesday.13th Nov.

[*On Vancouver Island.*]

Victoria.....Monday ....25th Nov.
Nanaimo..... .....Tuesday ....3rd Dec.

ap12-1mo

EDUCATION BRANCH OF THE PROV'L SECRETARY'S DEP'T, Victoria, May 7th, 1889.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual Examination of candidates for certificates of qualification to teach in the Public Schools of the Province will be held as follows, commencing on Monday, July 8th, at 10 a. m.:—

In Victoria.....Logislative Hall.
In Kamloops..,Public School Building.

Each applicant must forward a notice, thirty days before the examination, stating the class and grade of certificate for which he will be a candidate, and the place at which he will attend.

S. D. POPE, my10-1m Supt. of Education.

NOTICE.

SITTINGS of the County Court of Cariboo will be held at—

Lillooet.... .....Thursday, 23rd May, 1889
Clinton .....Saturday, 8th June, "
100-Mile House,...Thursday, 27th June, "
Soda Creek.....Saturday, 29th June, "
Quesnellemouth..Tuesday.. 2nd July, "
Richfield.....Friday ... 5th July, "

By Command,

JNO. ROBSON, Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office, 24th April, 1889. ap26-2m

GEO. A. SARGISON, NOTARY PUBLIC, Accountant & Agent, 48 LANGLEY ST. ap27

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TIME TABLE No. 10.

To take effect at 8.30 a.m. on Saturday, March 30, 1889. Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

GOING NORTH. READ DOWN.				GOING SOUTH. READ UP.		
No. 2 Passenger Daily.	No. 4 Passenger Sundays & Sundays.	No. 6 Passenger Sundays only.	STATIONS.	No. 1 Passenger Daily.	No. 3 Passenger Sundays & Sundays.	No. 5. Passenger Saturdays only.
De 8.30 A.M.	De 3.32 P.M.			Ar 1.00 P.M.	Ar 7.00 A.M.	
" 8.21	" 3.35		VICTORIA	" 1.00	" 6.50	
" 8.31	" 3.46		RUSSELLS	" 12.50	" 6.46	
" 9.01	" 4.11		SHAWNIGAN	" 12.23	" 6.21	
" 9.06	" 4.16		COBBLE HILL	" 11.28	" 5.26	
" 10.08	" 5.06		MALAHAT	" 11.15	" 5.13	
" 10.23	" 5.31		GOLDSTREAM	" 10.50	" 4.51	
" 10.37	" 5.41		LEMON	" 10.47	" 4.48	
" 10.42	" 5.46		GORGE	" 10.42	" 4.43	
" 11.05			DUNCANS	" 10.12	" 4.13	
" 11.18			SAHTLAM	" 10.02	" 4.03	
Ar 12.20 P.M.			SAMPSONS	De 9.01	Ar 3.16	
De 12.25 P.M.			CHEMAINUS	Ar 8.55		
Ar 12.44	Ar 7.31		NANAIMO	De 8.40 A.M.	De 3.01 P.M.	Ar 8.00 P.M.
			WELLINGTON			De 7.45

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De 3.30 P.M.		VICTORIA
Ar 7.45		NANAIMO
	De 10.30 A.M.	NANAIMO
	Ar 10.45	WELLINGTON

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Return Tickets will be issued between all points for a single fare, good for return Monday.

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Ar Pt. Town'd 11:15 p.m	Ar Seattle - 1:30 p.m
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THIS VESSEL will discharge cargo at our wharf on Monday, 3rd June and following days.

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" Nanaimo " Comox, Thursday, 7.00 "
" Comox " Nanaimo, Friday, 7.00 "
" Nanaimo " Victoria, Saturday, 7.00 "

For freight or passage apply on board. feb5

Canadian Pacific NAVIGATION COMPANY, (Limited)

Time Table No. 11 Takes Effect March 23, 1889.

Vancouver Route:

Victoria to Vancouver—Daily, except Monday, at 2 o'clock, a m.
Vancouver to Victoria—Daily, except Monday, at 14:30 o'clock, or on arrival of C. P. R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route:

LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's, and Lulu Island—Sunday at 23 o'clock, Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock. (Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R train No. 2, going east Monday.
For Plumper Pass—Wednesday and Friday, at 7 o'clock.
For Moresby Island—Friday at 7 o'clock.
LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria—Monday at 14:30 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.
For Plumper Pass—Saturday at 7 o'clock.

Fraser River Route:

Steamers leave New Westminster for Hope and Way Landings every Wednesday.
For CHILLIWHACK and Way Landings every Monday and Saturday at 7 o'clock, during river navigation.

Northern Route:

Steamship SARDONYX will leave for Port Simpson and intermediate points on the FIRST and FIFTEENTH of each month. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

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JOHN IRVING, Manager.
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Per Str. R P RITHET, from Westminster—Strand Mrs Pope, Mrs Sherman, Mrs Arthur, Rev Dr Reid, R Porter, S Hemmans, J Graham, W H Phelps, — Grimmer, J Smith.

Per Str. ISLANDER, from Vancouver.—M D Keet, Mrs M C Laud, A Foremost, A Harris, Mrs J Hutcheson, Geo King, Wm Green, W Sutherland, J Hicks, Dr F W Hall, H Hanbery, W Lang, Lee Deen, J J Nickson, Ralph Nickson, Capt Ramsey, Jno Cameron, L Redgrave, Dr Bayard, Sir Leonard Tilley, Leonard Tilley, J King, H B Scott, J Anderson, W Pooley, Mrs Blair, H W Walker, J Donaldson, A Ewen, Capt W D Fraser, W L Cusack, Mrs E J Dean, Missy Dean and nurse, Mrs Capt H G Morse, J M McGregor, Mrs T D Cyre, G Leiser, S Leiser, R Lovett, J Wakefield.

CONSIGNEES.

Per Str. T. J. POTTER, from the Sound.—Matthews Richards & Co, Marvin & Tilton, E G Prior & Co, H Jones & Co, A Lewis & Co, J H Todd & Co, A L Laballister, E Bean, Carne & Munsie.

Per Str. R P RITHET, from Westminster.—S J Pitts, W Heathorn, H Saunders, S Leiser, J C Cevlin, C J Finlayson, Victoria Truck and Dray Co, Findlay D & Brodie, E B Marvin, G Pollick, J H Todd & Son, J Smith, J McCluskie, Van Volkenburgh & Bros.

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DIED.

GRAY.—At his residence, Fort street, on the 5th inst., the Hon. John Hamilton Gray, D. C. L., Judge of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, aged 75 years.

The funeral will take place on Saturday from his late residence, at 2:30 p. m., and Christ Church Cathedral at 3 o'clock.

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CONDENSED DESPATCHES.

Dr. Day, of Tallerton, Ont, has left $10,000 to the Queen's University to be handed over on the death of a surviving sister.

Revs. H. Tefre and C. A. Marois of the Cardinal's Palace, Quebec, have been elevated to the dignity of house hold prelates to the Pope. Trudelle, Joint Registrar of the district, has been created Chevalier of St. Gregory the Great.

Bowen Aylesworth, reeve of Ernestow, Ont., has been nominated as the Reform standard bearer in Lennox for the Ontario legislature.

A fire at Morden, Man., on Tuesday night, destroyed Brown's livery stable and seven horses, loss $5,000; Snowden and Nelson's, $2,000; Miss Chambers' millinery, $1,500; Mr. Topley's building, $1,200. A whole block was burned.

A young Irishman named Jack McGaldrick, employed in a livery stable at Winnipeg, attempted suicide on Tuesday by taking laudanum.

J. H. Ashdown, president of the Winnipeg Sun Printing Co., has taken action against the Winnipeg Free Press for alleged libel.

A farmers' excursion, numbering 600 people, left Toronto in two trains on Wednesday night for Manitoba.

Anti-Jesuit meetings were held at Orangeville, Wingham and Fergus, Ontario, on Tuesday, at all of which delegates to the Toronto convention were appointed.

M. Cloran, a Toronto baker, wins $1,000, and a poor laborer of the same city wins $4,000 in the Carslake drawing for the Derby.

It is rumored that ex-Mayor Beaugrand, of Montreal, will be appointed legislative councillor vice Dr. Lavalle.

Madame Cartier has had a bust of her late husband, Sir Geo. E. Cartier, placed on his grave in the Catholic cemetery, Montreal.

The Winnipeg Free Press is now issued morning and evening. It is reported there that Mr. Luxton has retired from the papers.

Mrs. Robert Gerrie, wife of the proprietor of the Grand Union, Winnipeg, who has been suffering for a long time with cancer, died on the 1st inst.

LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL.

Our Text is Hats,

And we would like to divide our discourse under about one thousand heads. CAMERON, the cash clothier, 55 Johnson street.

Judge Gray's Funeral.

The funeral of the late Hon. Justice Gray will take place on Saturday afternoon, leaving the family residence at the corner of Moss and Fort streets at 2:30 o'clock, and Christ Church Cathedral at 3 o'clock.

St. Andrew's Church Pic-Nic.

All aboard for Langford Plains tomorrow (Saturday). Trains leave the E. & N. railway depot at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. A good time in store for all. Games for old and young. Tickets at Messrs. J. Finlayson's, T. McConnan's and Langley & Co's.

Out To-day.

The WEEKLY COLONIST, brimful of all the local and foreign happenings of the week. British Columbia's pioneer paper is still in the lead. Subscribe for a year, or buy a copy and send it to your absent friends. Subscription $2 per annum. Single copies, ready for mailing, 10 cents.

The Nanaimo Election.

Mr. Bray, returning officer, has appointed Friday, the 14th inst., as nomination day for the Nanaimo election, and Friday, the 21st, as the day for polling. The Courier says, in addition to Mr. Haslem, Dr. Walkem, Mr. T. R. Foster, Mr. C. C. Mckenzie and Mr. T. E. Peck are likely to become candidates.

The Result of a Runaway.

A runaway occurred on Vancouver street yesterday afternoon, the horse, owned by Haynes Bros., bakers, taking fright at a fluttering scrap of paper. Mr. William Haynes, who was the occupant of the vehicle, was thrown out, and sustained serious injuries about the head and face. Dr. Duncan is in attendance upon him.

Gin Caused It All.

Two Siwashes under the cheering influence of the forbidden "square-face," made things lively in the Indian settlement over the railway bridge yesterday afternoon. Detective Dunstan on attempting to arrest the festive redmen, was attacked with a club; but managed to make the Indians prisoners. Officer Miller arrived while the fun was in progress, the irons were put on the prisoners, and they were taken to the provincial jail. Their case will be heard in provincial court this morning.

Mme. Modjeska.

Madame Modjeska, who appears at the Victoria Theatre on Monday and Tuesday of next week, will arrive from San Francisco direct accompanied by her husband, Count Bozenta, her manager, Mr. John Maguire, of Montana, and her entire company, consisting of twenty persons, the majority of whom have been the chief support during the present season of the Booth and Barrett combination. Madame Modjeska will play Rosalind in "As You Like It," on Monday evening, the 10th, and Mary Stuart in the play of that name on Tuesday evening. Both plays will be handsomely costumed and produced with a perfection of detail that is rarely seen in a travelling organization.

A Revival in a Tent.

A large tent at the corner of Douglas and Herald streets attracted the attention and excited the curiosity of passers-by yesterday. Lovers of the circus rejoiced in the anticipation of pleasures to come, until they were informed that the entertainment within the canvas walls would take the line of a camp meeting—not a circus. The Seventh Day Adventists will here hold their first tent meeting on Friday evening, when sermons will be delivered by Mr. H. W. Reid, of Portland, and Mr. H. A. Baxter, of Tacoma. The meetings will be continued every evening for a fortnight, and perhaps longer. Every care has been taken to make the tent comfortable, and over 200 persons can be seated in it. It is expected that the tent meetings will be largely attended.

Nanaimo Assizes.

The spring assizes at Nanaimo were concluded on Wednesday. In the case of Regina vs. Muzetto, charged with aggravated assault on one Dominick, at Wellington, Mr. D. M. Eberts for the accused, pleaded guilty, and Mr. Justice Crease sentenced the prisoner to one months' imprisonment without hard labor, and to pay $150 to Dominick. Bacht, the Indian found guilty of manslaughter, was reported to be suffering from cancer in the stomach and external sores. Taking into consideration the condition of the prisoner, his Lordship said he would sentence him to two years imprisonment, as while in the penitentiary he would receive good medical attendance, and if it became apparent that the prisoner was under sentence of death from a higher court he would be sent home to his friends to die.

The Old Rate Restored.

The Columbian says: "With the notification that express rates on fresh fish had been advanced 60 per cent. all shipments to eastern points ceased, and not a pound of salmon was shipped at the new rates. Contracts were all cancelled and the exporters began to look upon their eastern trade as a thing of the past. The C.P.R. quickly found, however, that its scheme to grasp the entire profits of the industry, from the fisherman on the Fraser to the retail dealer in Montreal, had failed, and that instead of the additional income expected, every cent of profit had been cut off. Such a large income as that derived from carrying fresh salmon could not be well spared, and, as the old rates were most profitable, the company gladly went back to its former rates and notified the exporters accordingly. This was on Monday night and yesterday the shipments of fish began again."

Jack Tar Again.

A bluejacket caused a slight "divarsion" on Store street yesterday afternoon by breaking a window in a Chinese shop opposite the railway station. Directly the damage was done the sailor remembered a very pressing engagement in another part of the town. But John "went him one better," and sprung his policeman's rattle; which, strange to relate, was immediately answered by two of the provincial police. The why and wherefore was demanded of the sailor, but he, being "a few points in the wind," declined to allow the police to interfere in his innocent amusement, and to show that he was in earnest pulled off his jacket and invited any "blank, blank blankety blank" in the "blank, blank" town to stand in front of him for two minutes. Officer Miller, however, after judiciously pouring a little oil on the troubled water, brought matters to a quiet termination. But while the "melee" was going on the patrol from the flagship arrived, followed shortly after by a representative of the civic force. As usual, a crowd of a few hundred gathered to enjoy the sport.

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Yards, etc., cleaned. Contracts made for removing earth, etc. All orders left with Mr. G. Doughty, corner Blanchard and Fort streets, Bossi & Giesselman, Yates street, or J. Finlayson's, Government street, will be promptly attended to. ap26-1y

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HONORED GUESTS.

Sir Leonard Tilley, Lieut.-Governor of New Brunswick, and Dr. Bayard Arrive.

Among the passengers by the Islander last evening were two of the best known public men of Eastern Canada—Sir Leonard Tilley, K.C.M.G., C.B., P.C., Lieutenant-Governor of New Brunswick, and Dr. William Bayard, for many years president of the New Brunswick Medical Society, and one of the most distinguished physicians in the Eastern Provinces. Mr. Leonard Tilley also accompanied his father.

The distinguished visitors were met at the dock by Mr. Herbert Stanton, Lieut.-Gov. Nelson's private secretary, and driven at once to Government House where they will be guests for a week or more.

Sir Leonard was born at Gagetown, Queen's County, N.B., on the 8th of May, 1818, and was educated at the grammar school in Queen's County. Until 1854 he carried on a drug business in St. John's. He was a member of the Executive Council of New Brunswick from November, 1854, to May, 1856; from July, 1857, to March, 1865, and again from April, 1866, to the Union, during which several periods he held the office of Provincial Secretary of that province, and from March, 1861, to March, 1865, was leader of the government. He has been a delegate to England on several occasions, to confer with the Imperial government on important public business, notably regarding the union of the British American colonies, and the construction of an Intercolonial Railway, and has also repeatedly served on like missions to the sister provinces. He was a delegate to the Charlottetown Union Conference of 1864; to that in Quebec in the same year, and to the London Colonial Conference, to complete the terms of Union, in 1866-67. He holds a patent of rank and precedence from Her Majesty as an ex-Councillor of New Brunswick. Created C. B. (civil) by the Queen in 1867, and K. C. M. G. on May 24th, 1879. He was sworn in Minister of Customs for Canada, and member of the Privy Council on the 1st of July, 1867. For some time—from November, 1868, to April, 1869—he acted as Minister of Public Works, and was Minister of Finance from 1873 until he was appointed Lieutenant-Governor of New Brunswick, a position he held until July, 1878. In October of that year, on the resignation of the Mackenzie administration, he was re-appointed Finance Minister, which office he held until he was re-appointed Lieutenant-Governor of New Brunswick in 1885.

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

LACROSSE.

Members of the lacrosse club are requested to turn out to practice. It is expected the club will play Vancouver on Dominion Day, and every effort should be put forward to have Victoria represented by a strong team. Where are the footballers who promised to assist the lacrosse club during the season? If they intend to reciprocate, now is the time when their services would be very acceptable.

BOXING.

Scotty Con, champion feather-weight of Australia, and Joe Howard, late of London, England, have signed articles stating that the former will undertake to knock the latter out in six rounds, or forfeit $50. The contest will take place at Philharmonic Hall on Saturday evening, June 15th.

THE OAR.

Articles have been signed by G. A. Richardson of Victoria, and J. R. Rathom of Melbourne, Australia, for a 2¼ mile race, with turn, in outrigged skiff, for a $200 trophy. The race will be rowed over the Gorge course.

THE WHEEL.

The Island Wanderers Cycling Club met for a run, at the Burnes House last evening. After enjoying a spin over the city, around Beacon Hill, and out on the country roads, the wheelsmen called at the residence of Rev. J. E. Starr, where they were kindly entertained by Mrs. Starr and other ladies of the Methodist Church.

A NIGHT WITH THE PUGILISTS.

The Philarmonic Hall was filled last evening with a crowd of people anxious to get a look at the fighting display of Smith, the middle weight champion of England, and McClarney, the Irish giant, who has twice defeated Patsey Cardiff. Those who were admitted into the hall were not disappointed as the class of boxing shown was most scientific and fully illustrated the powers of both men.

The first part of the programme was a playful set to between Smith and Professor Foster, a townsman of the champions, who is a clever light weight boxer. A great deal of amusement was caused by the antics of the men. No hard hitting was done and Smith, who of course had Foster in hand, treated the audience to a few of his tricks, which are well worth learning by any of those aspiring to a place in pugilistic circles.

The second bout brought out two lads who boxed fairly well in imitation of their elders and who would have been far better at home in bed than on a public stage.

After the youngsters had finished a three-round set-to McClarney and Austin sparred three rounds. Austin, whose weight was no match for that of the giant, stayed to his man pluckily and well, but McClarney's terrible reach and lightning cuts were altogether too much for the local champion. However, Clem's clever tactics were the cause of three or four stingers breaking through McClarney's guard, and he didn't in any way get scared by the formidable attitude of the mass of muscles fronting him.

The last and principal bout was between Smith himself and McClarney, and was by far the most important part of the evening's programme. Owing to the time that had been taken over the previous bouts, Smith announced that instead of fighting ten rounds, as previously stated, he would only fight six.

The contest itself was a remarkable one. Smith is undoubtedly a wonderful fighter. He is up to every trick and point of his business, and gets in terrific blows at every opportunity. McClarney held up well to Smith's fierce attacks, which, as the men were fighting under London Prize Ring rules, frequently took the form of wrestling bouts. Smith defends himself well, never allowing an opponent to get into him with much effect, while he feints and strikes in a manner that is fairly puzzling. His best hits are his upper cuts and back strikes, two of which latter he got in on McClarney's head with good effect. He is an unrelenting punster and sticks with bull-dog tenacity to his man till he has puffed him. His straight out hits are mostly directed to the head and his blows have more the purport of a knock out than an attempt to wind his enemy.

McClarney is hard fighter. His reach is the great danger, as with an ordinary man he can stand off and plant his blows from a comparatively safe point.

The affair was a very fine display of fistic talent indeed, and one that met with the hearty approbation of all present.

HERE AND THERE.

A return match between the married and the single members of the Victoria Cricket Club will be played at Beacon Hill to-morrow afternoon.

The second nine of the James Bay Baseball Club will meet the second nine of the Mayflowers in a friendly match on Beacon Hill to-morrow. No league game will be played until Saturday, June 15th.

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AID FOR SEATTLE.

A Portion of the Victoria Fire Department Start for the Burnt City.

A telegram was received last evening by Chief Engineer Deasy, in reply to one sent, stating that the mayor requested that engines be forwarded. There was plenty of hose. The Chief consulted with Mayor Grant and the firewardens, and it was decided to send the Tiger steam engine, the hand engine and one hose reel. Four of the regulars and a number of the old volunteer fire department were secured to accompany the apparatus. Capt. Roberts could not leave without special orders and Capt. Clancey was telegraphed for instructions. Unfortunately he could not be found, and the hours slipped by before an answer was received. At 10:30 o'clock Capt. Clancey telegraphed to start at once with the Victoria contingent, and after steam was got up the Potter left at 11:30 o'clock p. m., with the fire department contingent and a special correspondent of THE COLONIST.

LITTLE LOCALS.

During the month of May, 47 arrests were made and 45 convictions secured by the city police.

Tenders have been called for, for the erection of a new county court building at Vancouver.

Mr. Charles Roland, late of St. Catharines, Ont., has started in business for himself on Fort street.

A lodge of Knights of Pythias has been organized at Westminster, under the name of Royal Lodge No. 6.

The water works employes received their month's pay yesterday, the pay roll amounting to over $5,000.

We make a specialty of taking ladies portraits in "evening" or "bridal" dress. Hall & Lowe, Photographers.

The superintendent of provincial police has invited tenders for provincial jail supplies for the coming year.

Messrs. Baker & Son exhibit the first barley harvested this season. The early grain is from their farm near Cedar Hill.

Serenades were the order last evening, the Independent Cornet Band turning out and favoring the public with some choice music.

Corporation employes are cutting through solid rock in order to lay a box drain on Douglas street, in front of St. John's church.

In front of Jones Bros' photographic studio, on Douglas street, there is a ricketty piece of sidewalk which demands immediate attention.

Both the city and provincial police courts were deserted yesterday, there being no cases to occupy the attention of the dispensers of justice.

The police committee and superintendent of police are considering the advisability of making the interpreter of Chinook in the police court a salaried officer.

Still another fine deer has been presented to the city park, through Ald. Goodacre. The last donation comes from a gentleman residing on Lulu Island.

Tenders have been invited for the construction of a neat cottage residence for the janitor on the school reserve; and also for the painting of the central school buildings.

The blaze from the Seattle fire could be plainly seen last evening from the Oriental tower, from the Clarence Hotel and from other high buildings in the city.

A crazy Chinaman is at present confined in the city police cells, who labors under the impression that the city is indebted to him in the small amount of $8,000,000. He wants a cheque.

Mr. Andrew Gray has purchased the plant and special machinery used in the old Novelty Iron Works, from Mr. Thomas Gowen, and transferred it to his own establishment, Rock Bay.

A hack belonging to Bowman's stable broke down on the Saanich road, about five miles from the city, on Wednesday evening. The occupants, guests returning from a wedding, were thrown out, but no one was injured.

At noon to-day the time expires for receiving tenders for the construction of five miles of tramway for the National Electric Tramway Co. There are already about half a dozen tenders in for the work.

The city council of Westminster has passed a by-law providing for hotels to pay a license of $200, and saloons $400, annually, and that saloons are to be closed from 12 o'clock Saturday night till 6 o'clock Monday morning.

PERSONAL.

G. and S. Leiser returned from Vancouver last night.

A. Ewen, of Westminster, arrived by the Islander last evening.

Capt. Ramsey arrived from Vancouver last evening.

Rev. Dr. Reid returned from Westminster last evening.

Mrs. (Capt.) H. G. Morse was among the arrivals from the mainland last evening.

J. M. MacGregor, of the World, Vancouver, arrived down by the Islander last evening.

Capt. S. Scott has been offered, and will probably accept, the command of the barque Minnie, now lying at Portland ready to sail for China. The captain of the Minnie is very sick.

MARINE.

American tug J. E. Boyden went back to Seattle yesterday.

Barque Sunbeam, which was waiting at Burrard Inlet for a crew, has been supplied with the required number of men by Capt. Scott.

H. M. S. Champion has arrived from Acapulco at San Francisco. She will probably reach Esquimalt in a week's time.

Steamer Idaho arrived last evening with a heavy cargo of freight from the Sound.

PIERRE, Dak., June 6.—An Indian runner arrived at Fort Pierre yesterday forenoon, direct from the Rosebud Agency, on his way to Cheyenne, with word that the Indians at the agency had commenced to sign a treaty and that the commission would get them all. Fort Pierre is a hard day's travel from Rosebud and on the direct trail to Cheyenne, and the runners were sent from Rosebud as soon as the result was known of the Indians' action there, to inform all other agencies.

VICTORIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

A PUBLIC MEETING OF THE REGistered Householders and Freeholders will be held at the City Hall on Monday, the 10th instant, at 11 a. m., for the purpose of receiving the report of the Trustees.

The annual election of a Trustee for each Ward will be held on Monday, the 17th instant, as follows:—

For James Bay Ward, at the Hook and Ladder House, Government street.

For Yates Street Ward, at Burnes' Building, Bastion Square.

For Johnson Street Ward, at the City Hall.

In case a poll is demanded, voting will commence at 10 a. m. on the following day, and close at 4 p. m.

R. WOLFENDEN,
Secretary School Board.

Victoria, 3rd June, 1889.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the 6th Drawing for an appropriation in connection with above Society will take place at Harmony Hall, View street, on Wednesday, the 12th day of June, 1889, at 8 p. m. Outside public admitted. Balance of shares, Series C and D, can be taken up at any time on payment of $1.75 (Back dues from start of Society not asked for till shares have drawn an appropriation.) For particulars apply to the undersigned, at his office, 30 Fort st., or at Harmony Hall every Monday evening, from 7:30 to 9:30.

By order, A. ST. G. FLINT, Sec'y.

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By order,

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City Clerk's Office,
May 20th, 1889. my31

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